

Park and Recreation Department
Planning Department

Tecolote Canyon

Natural Resource Management Plan and Master Plan Amendment



Park and Recreation Board
February 16, 2017

Overview

1. Background
2. Overview of Plans
 1. Draft Natural Resources Management Plan
 2. Master Plan Amendment
3. Next Steps



Background: Natural Resources Management Plan



- Multiple Species Conservation Program
 - *Adopted by City Council in 1997*
- Natural Resource Management Plan prepared to fulfill MSCP requirement for park-based Area Specific Management Directives
 - *First drafted in 2006 by Consultant*
 - *Revised by City Staff*



Coast live oak

Background: Master Plan Amendment



- Tecolote Canyon Citizen's Advisory Committee, 1982
 - *"Tecolote Canyon is a natural treasure"*
- Same Goals and Objectives
- Updated Trail Plan



San Diego sagewort

- 950 acres
- Tri-Canyon Park
- Owned by City of San Diego and SDGE
- Tecolote Canyon Golf Course
- Utility Access:
 - Public Utilities
 - SDGE
 - Navy



Date: 11/2/2016

Natural Resources Management Plan



Objectives

1. Map and catalog resources
2. Group and prioritize resources
3. Identify threats to resources
4. Develop management priorities based on MSCP conditions of coverage;
5. Establish management directives within an adaptive management framework
6. Integrate climate-smart planning principles

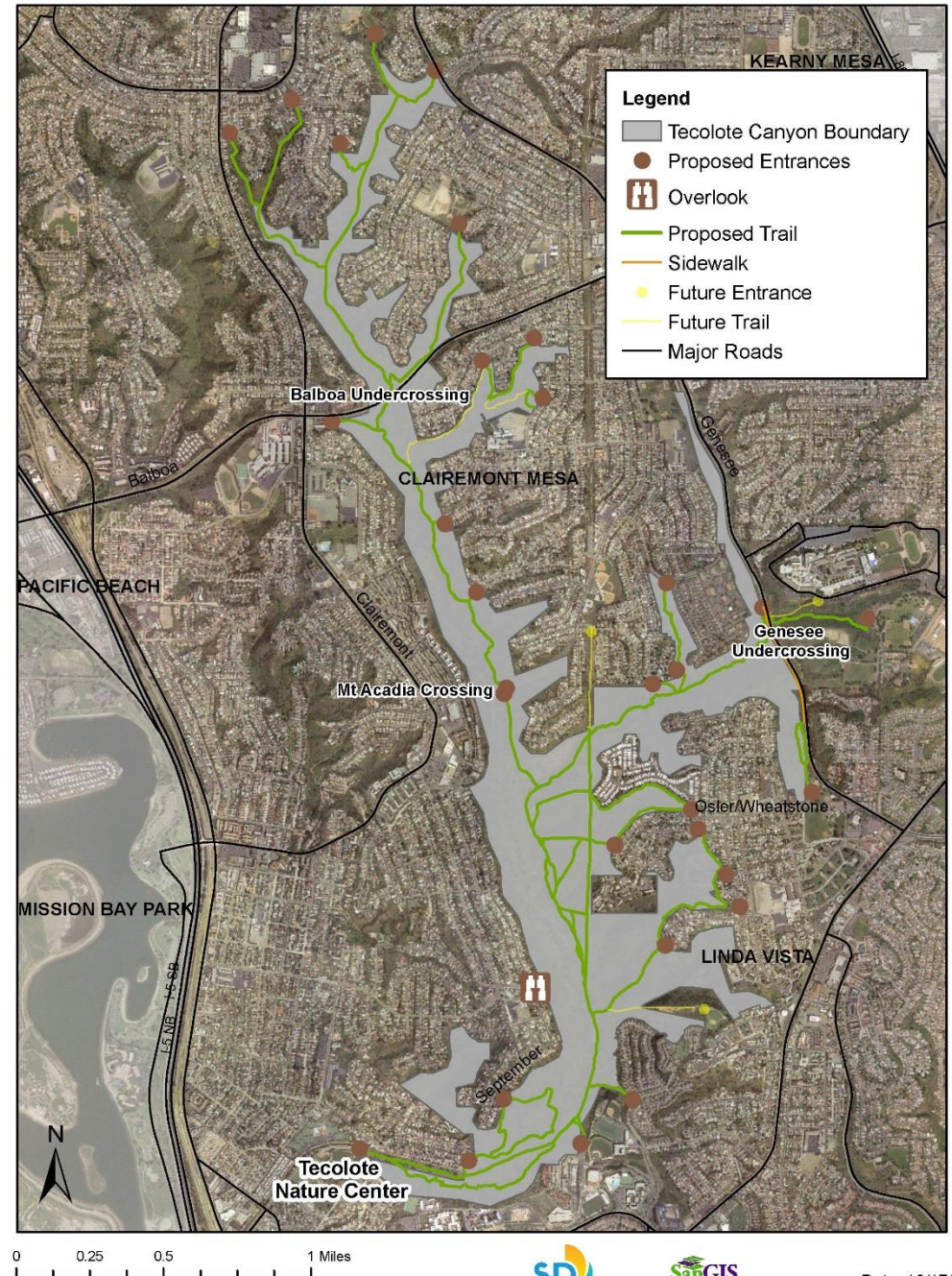


*San Diego Alligator
lizard*

Master Plan Amendment

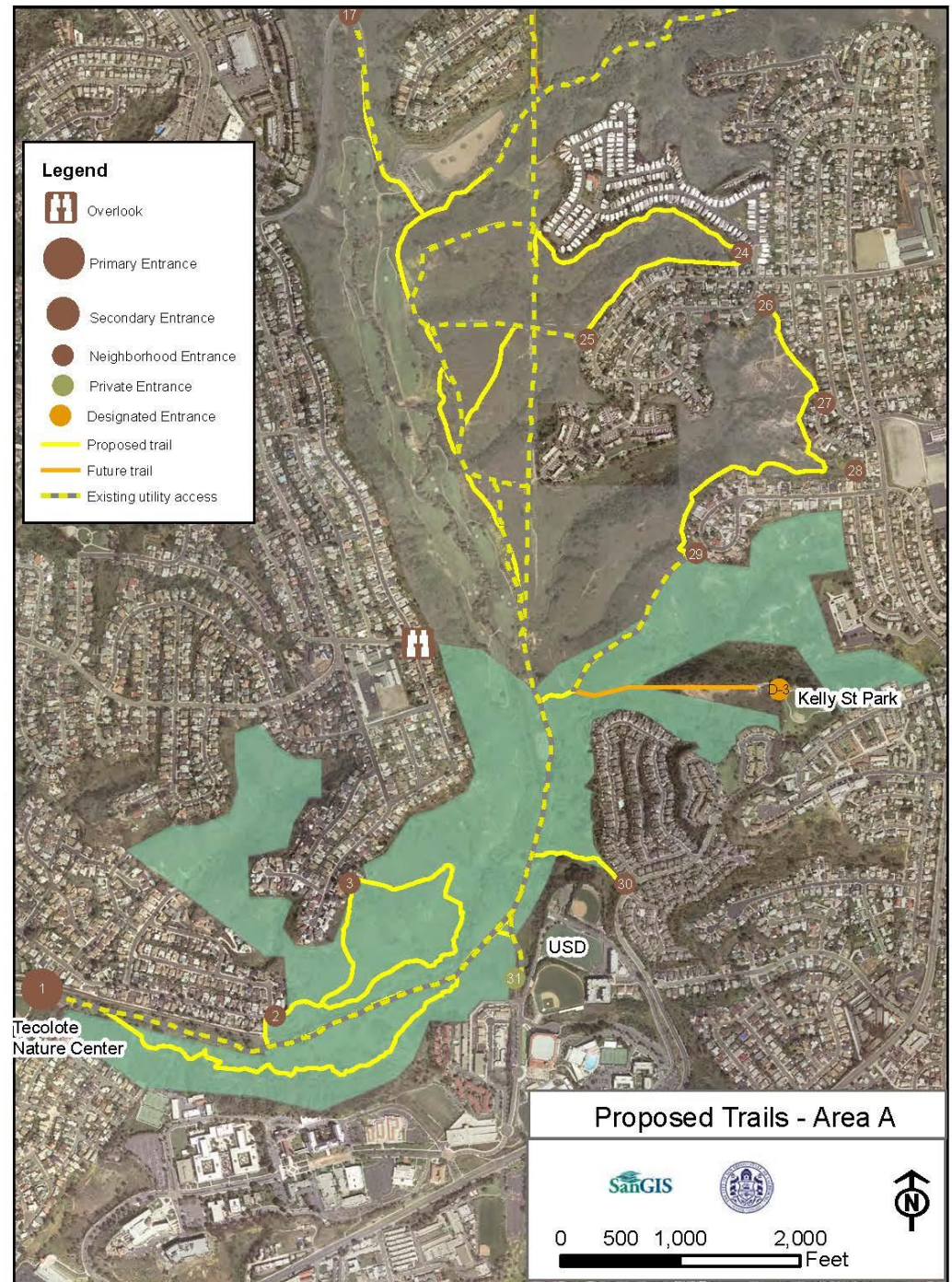
Updated Trail Plan

1. 29 public entrances
2. 16 miles of trails
 - 3 miles new or rerouted;
 - 13 miles existing
3. 8.5 miles trail closures
4. Proposed trail system will be permitted with the Amendment



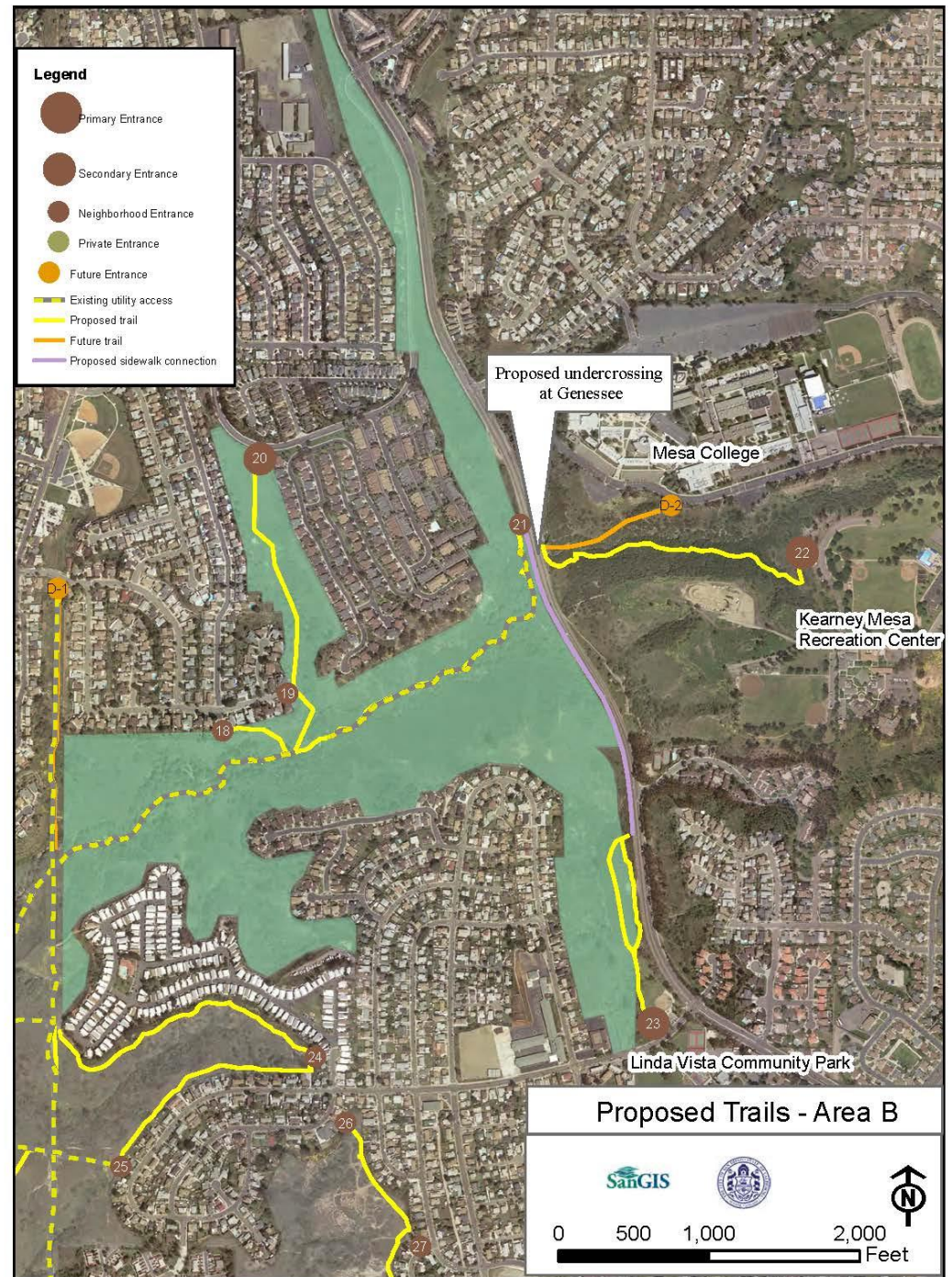
Area A

- Eloise Battle Trail – 0.7 miles
- September Street Loop – 0.7 miles



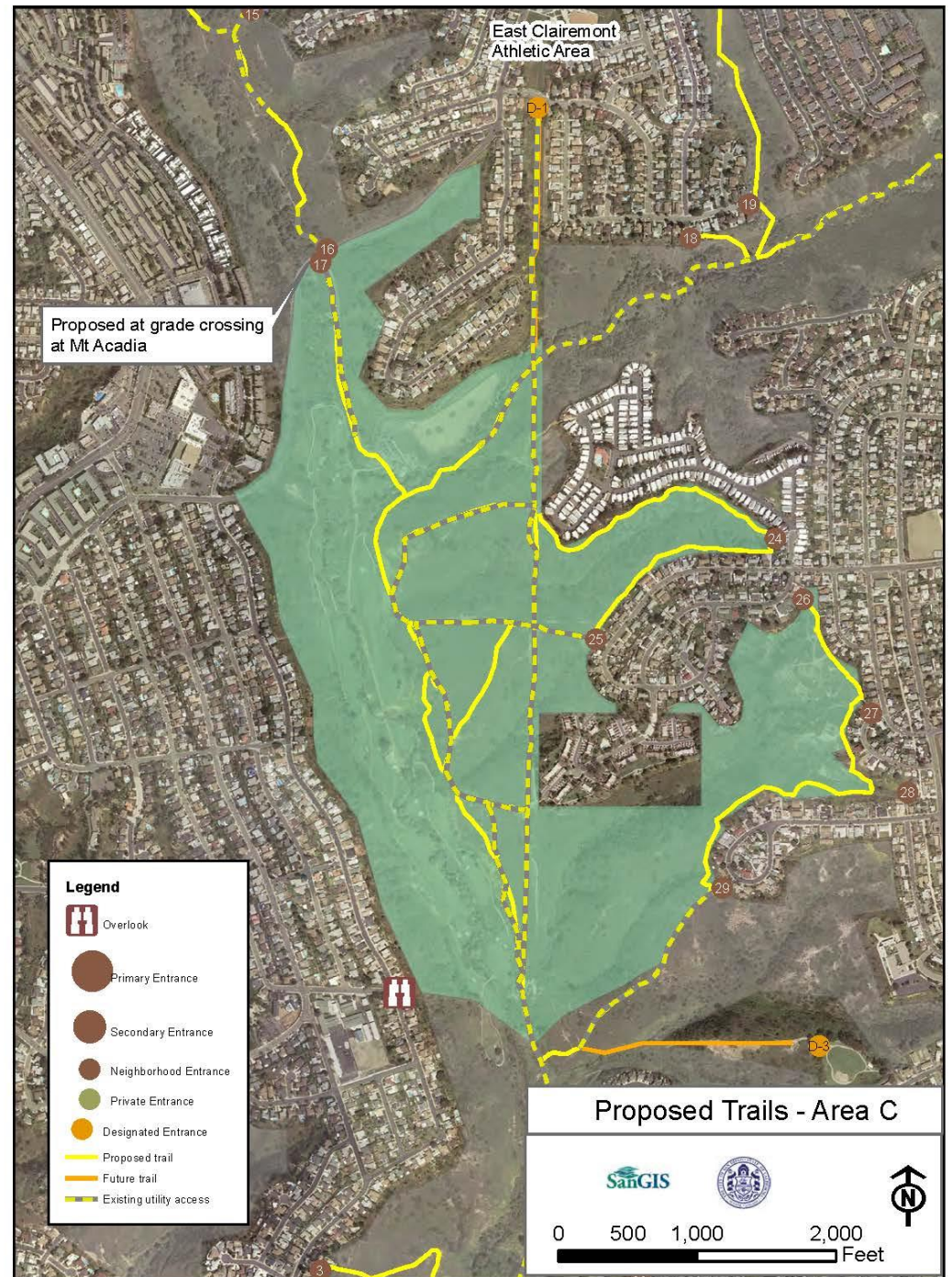
Area B

- Kearney Mesa Rec Center Connection – 0.4 miles
- Linda Vista Loop Trail – 0.4 miles
- Acworth Trail – 0.4 miles



Area C

- Golf Bypass Trails– 0.2 miles
- Osler Loop Trail– 0.7 miles
- Mt. Acadia Crossing
- July St Overlook



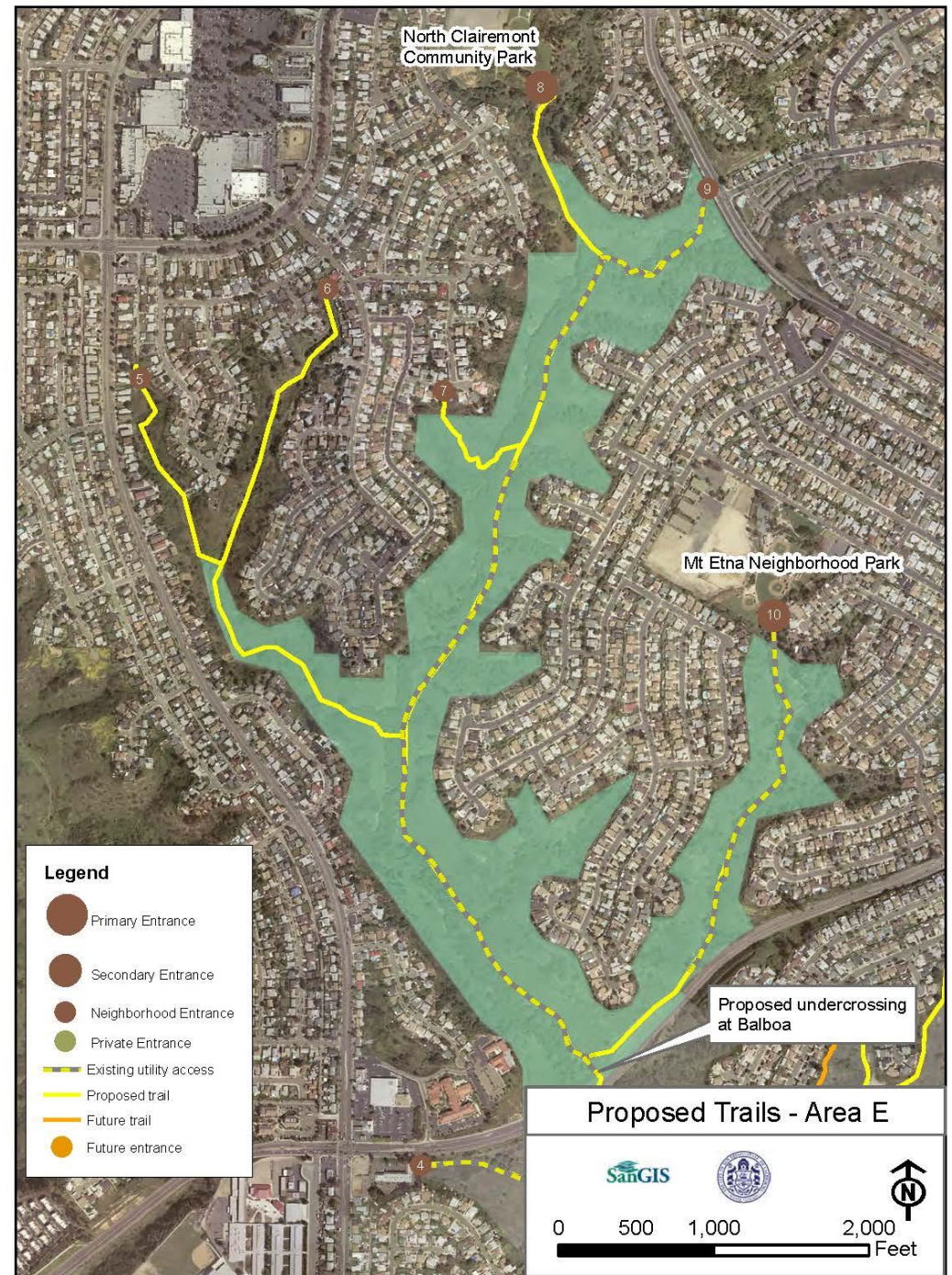
Area D

- Mt. Brundage Overlook– 0.4 miles
- Mt. Brundage Loop– 0.1 miles
- Central Tecolote Reroute near Mt. Acadia - 0.05 miles
- Balboa Undercrossing (or alternative)



Area E

- North Clairemont Trails– 1 mile
- Cindy Street Trail– 0.2 miles
- Mt. Etna Connection – 0.2 miles
- North Clairemont Recreation Center Connection- 0.3 miles



Process

- ✓ **Public Review and Comment**
- ✓ **Wildlife Agency Review and Comment**
- ✓ **Tecolote Citizen's Advisory Committee Vote**
 - March 15, 2015: 9-0-0 Vote (NRMP)
 - January 20, 2016: 9-0-0 Vote (Master Plan)
- ✓ **Linda Vista Planning Group**
 - August 22, 2016: 12-0-0 Vote
- ✓ **Clairemont Community Planning Group**
 - November 15, 2016: 13-0-0 Vote



2012

2013

2014

2015

2016

2017

Next Steps



- ☐ Park and Recreation Board
- ☐ CEQA and Site Development Permit Review/Approval
- ☐ Planning Commission
- ☐ City Council

2017

2018